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Congressional District Profile

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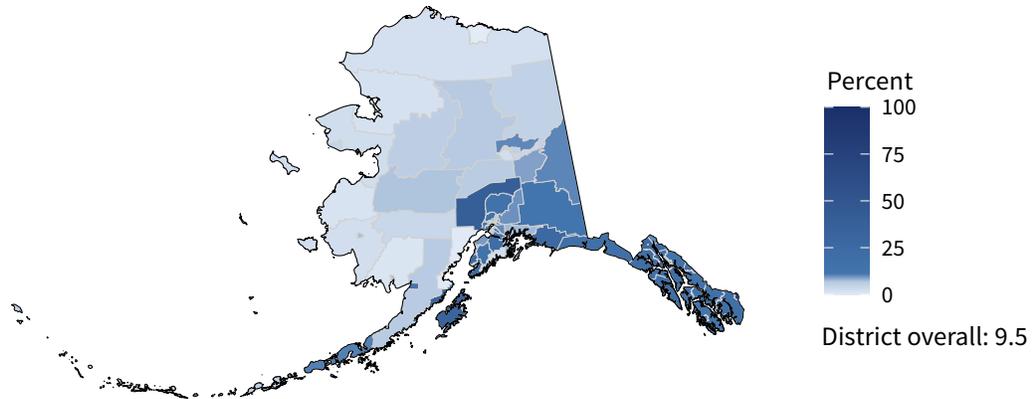
About this profile

Small businesses are defined here as firms with fewer than 500 employees. Congressional district boundaries correspond to the 116th Congress. A gray area on a map showing share of workers self-employed indicates that Census reported zero total employment in that area. Data analyzed here predate the COVID-19 pandemic, which has had [impacts on businesses](#) that have differed by industry, geography, and demographic group. Electronic versions of these and other [geographic profiles](#) are available online, including extensive profiles of [Alaska](#) and the [United States](#). Visit advocacy.sba.gov for additional resources.

Alaska Congressional District

16,590 small businesses with employees
96.2 percent of district employers

136,455 employees of small businesses
52.3 percent of district employees



Share of workers self-employed by census tract

Source: [American Community Survey](#), 2019 5-Year Estimates (Census)

Small business employment and payroll by industry

Industry	Employers		Employees		Payroll (\$1,000s)	
	Small	%	Small	%	Small	%
Construction	2,362	98.8	12,346	76.7	1,046,195	70.0
Health Care and Social Assistance	2,091	98.0	27,808	54.6	1,557,721	49.5
Accommodation and Food Services	1,853	98.0	20,215	77.1	550,985	73.3
Retail Trade	1,712	93.9	13,401	39.6	485,548	42.9
Other Services (except Public Administration)	1,665	97.3	9,074	93.4	334,176	91.1
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	1,623	94.0	9,829	56.0	704,172	51.9
Administrative, Support, and Waste Management	906	92.8	7,738	36.3	341,648	31.9
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	850	96.2	3,644	79.8	167,293	73.3
Transportation and Warehousing	839	92.6	6,808	34.0	439,974	27.5
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	551	98.7	3,280	60.3	95,624	82.9
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	469	99.6	535	99.1	41,562	99.2
Manufacturing	429	94.1	3,978	34.0	218,273	37.6
Wholesale Trade	405	77.4	4,387	50.5	269,834	47.3
Finance and Insurance	358	83.1	3,337	45.2	213,363	38.7
Educational Services	238	95.6	2,624	86.7	71,672	85.0
Information	174	86.1	2,314	35.3	113,541	24.8
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	104	81.2	1,977	20.9	260,779	21.6
Management of Companies and Enterprises	80	61.1	1,381	23.2	95,874	12.6
Utilities	56	93.3	1,741	84.8	173,427	82.7
Industries not classified	45	100.0	38	100.0	1,153	100.0
Total	16,590	96.2	136,455	52.3	7,182,814	45.7

Source: [Statistics of US Businesses](#), 2018 (Census)